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In re Application of:)	Art Unit: 1635
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Appln. No.: 09/403,861)	Washington, D.C.
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Date Filed: February 11, 2000)	Confirmation No. 7791
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For: INTRACELLULAR MODULATORS)	March 22, 2004
OF APOPTOTIC CELL DEATH)	
PATHWAYS)	

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 23, 2003, petition and payment for a three month extension of time being attached hereto, please disregard the unentered amendments after final rejection filed December 17, 2003, and February 11, 2004, and instead please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.